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RULES GOVERNING PRIMARY

ADOPTED BY STATE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE JUNE 4, 1910.

The State Democratic Executive Committee, in regular meeting assembled, hereby calls a Democratic primary election, to be held on Tuesday, the 23d day of August, 1910, in each county of the state, and hereby adopts the following rules and regulations by and under which said primary election shall be held:

1. That in said Democratic primary election candidates for the following offices shall be nominated, to-wit:

- (a) Governor.
- (b) Secretary of State.
- (c) Comptroller General.
- (d) Treasurer.
- (e) Attorney General.
- (f) Commissioner of Agriculture.
- (g) State School Commissioner.
- (h) One Prison Commissioner.
- (i) Three Railroad Commissioners.

(j) Pension Commissioner.

(k) Chief Justice of the Supreme Court.

(l) One Associate Justice of the Supreme Court.

(m) One Justice of the Court of Appeals.

(n) Members of Congress.

(o) And such Judges of the Superior Court, Solicitors General and members of the General Assembly (and such other officers may be nominated) as are required by law to be elected at the next general election.

2. All white electors who have duly registered according to law, irrespective of past political affiliations, and who intend in good faith to abide the party primary and support the nominations thereof, are hereby declared qualified, and are invited to participate in said primary election.

3. The County Democratic Executive Committee of each county shall furnish to the election managers of each district and polling precinct a list of all white registered and legally qualified voters in the respective districts and polling precincts of the county.

4. The Democratic Executive Committee of the several counties shall make all necessary provision for holding such primary election in their respective counties, and it may establish in any particular district as many polling places as it may deem necessary and proper, subject to the general primary law.

5. (a) The State Democratic Executive Committee shall prepare and furnish to the County Democratic Committees a form of ballot on which shall appear the names of all candidates for the offices to be filled, except local, district or county offices, which shall be supplied by the County Democratic Executive Committees.

(b) No person shall be deemed a candidate, so as to entitle his name to be placed on said official ballot, unless entered by himself and the assessment paid by this authority.

(c) The County Democratic Executive Committee shall have printed and distributed to the various polling precincts, in accordance with the official ballot so furnished, a sufficient number of tickets for use in said primary in said county.

(d) The voter shall erase from said ballot the names of those candidates for whom he does not desire to vote, leaving on said ballot only the names of those candidates for whom he wishes to vote.

(e) All candidates for Superior Court Judges and Solicitors General are to be voted for in the counties of their respective circuits.

(f) In cases where more than one candidate is to be nominated for a particular office each elector shall vote for as many candidates as there are nominations to be made.

6. The County Democratic Executive Committee, in selecting managers for the various polling precincts, shall as far as practicable give recognition to contesting candidates.

7. That on Wednesday, the 24th day of August, 1910, at noon, the County Democratic Executive

Committee of each county shall assemble at the court house of said county and consolidate the vote and declare the result.

(b) The chairman of such County Democratic Executive Committee shall appoint from the supporters of the successful candidates for Governor, State House Officers, Supreme and Appellate Court Judges, Superior Court Judges and Solicitors General, delegates to the State Convention, to cast the vote of said county such successful candidates.

(c) Any candidate for either of the offices above named in this paragraph who shall receive a majority of the votes cast in any county for the particular office for which he is a candidate shall be entitled to the entire vote of such county in the State Convention.

(d) But in the event no candidate for Governor, State House Officers, Supreme and Appellate Court Judges, Superior Court Judges and Solicitors General has received a majority of the total vote cast in said primary in any given county for the particular office for which he is a candidate, the County Democratic Executive Committee shall prorrate the vote of such county in proportion to the vote received respectively by each.

(e) Provided, should any candidate for any of the offices named in this paragraph receive in said primary in a given county an insufficient number of votes to entitle such candidate to one-fourth of a vote of such county in the Democratic State Convention, then the same shall not be counted, and the delegates from such county shall be apportioned among candidates in the proportion above indicated.

(f) In prorating the vote of any given county among the respective candidates some unit or multiple shall be adopted which will prevent any fractional vote less than one-fourth in the State Convention.

8. (a) As respects the votes cast in each county in said primary for county officers and members of the Legislature, the County Democratic Executive Committee shall declare the result in accordance with the rules and regulations adopted by it relative to the same.

(b) And, as respects the vote cast for State Senator and Congressman, it shall be the duty of the Chairman of the County Democratic Executive Committee to certify and transmit the consolidated vote of such county for State Senator to the Chairman of the Senatorial District Committee, and likewise certify and transmit the consolidated vote of such county for Congressman to the Chairman of the Congressional Executive Committee.

(c) In the event the Executive Committee of any Senatorial District shall order a convention nomination, based upon county representation, the Chairman of the County Executive Committee shall appoint delegates to said Senatorial Convention from among the supporters of the successful candidate for State Senator in said county, said delegate to be named from a list of names furnished by the successful candidate.

(d) Likewise, should the Executive Committee of any Congressional District order a convention nomination based upon county representation, the said Chairman of the County Executive Committee, who shall lay the same before the said Senatorial District Executive Committee, to be heard and determined by it as expeditiously as possible.

(e) Should the same relate to Congressman, the Chairman of the County Democratic Executive Committee shall certify and transmit the same to the Chairman of the Congressional Executive Committee of the district in which said county is located, who shall lay the same before the said Senatorial District Executive Committee, to be heard and determined by it as expeditiously as possible.

(f) Should the same relate to State Senator the Chairman of the County Democratic Executive Committee shall certify and transmit the same to the Chairman of the Senatorial District Executive Committee, to be heard and determined by it as expeditiously as possible.

(g) In the event any ticket is voted in said primary election having the name of any candidate for any of the aforesaid offices omitted therefrom, or inserted and canceled in the printing thereof, such ticket or tickets shall be declared invalid and shall not be counted.

10. (a) Each candidate for Governor, each candidate for any State House office and each candidate for Supreme and Appellate Court Justices shall be assessed fifty dollars, to be paid to the secretary of this committee, to meet the expense of this committee, which sum shall cover all assessments against such candidate in said primary, and no

additional assessment shall be levied or collected from him.

(b) The County Democratic Executive Committee shall levy such assessment as to it may seem proper on candidates for Congress, Superior Court Judges, Solicitors General, State Senators, members of the House of Representatives, and such county officers as are nominated in such primary. The assessments made by the county committee as herein provided shall be paid to such person as said county committee may designate.

(c) The name of no candidate shall appear on the official ballot who fails to pay the assessment required of him on or before the 23d day of July, 1910.

11. A State Democratic Convention is hereby called to assemble at 10 o'clock a. m., in the auditorium in Atlanta, Ga., on Thursday, the 1st day of September, 1910, in which convention each county shall be entitled to twice the number of votes that it has members in the lower branch of the General Assembly. The majority rule shall govern in all nominations in said convention.

12. No candidate at the approaching primary shall be declared the nominee of the party for any of the offices named if it be made to appear that he has used money or other thing of value to employ workers at the polls to in advance of the primary, or that he engaged in buying votes to procure his nomination. This provision shall apply even where such improper use of money or other thing of value or buying of votes is done by the friends of such candidate with his knowledge.

13. Itemized expense accounts shall be filed by all candidates in said primary election in accordance with the provision of the law governing the same.

14. (a) Should any candidate desire to contest the result in any county he shall file with the Chairman of the County Democratic Executive Committee his notice of contest, and the grounds thereof by 12 m. of August 24, 1910.

(b) Should the same relate to members of the Legislature or County Officers the said County Democratic Executive Committee shall proceed to hear and determine the same.

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For County School Commissioner.
I take this method of notifying the public that I am a candidate for the office of County School Commissioner of Bulloch county, subject to the August Democratic primary.

Your vote will be appreciated. Respectfully,
E. J. KROSTER, President.
JOHN G. TRAPP, Sec. and Treas.

Notice.
The annual meeting of the Farmers Union Warehouse of Metter, Ga., will be held in Masonic Temple, Metter, Ga., August 1, 1910. All stockholders are requested to be present.

Overcoat Lost.
There was lost or stolen from my buggy on Saturday night, July second, one overcoat. Finder will be rewarded for return to
E. W. NANCE.

To the Public.
On and after this date S. A. & N. Railway depot will be open all day, except Sundays.

Freight to be forwarded will not go on day received if same does not reach depot before 2:30 o'clock.

L. W. Armstrong,
Freight Agent.

Excursion Fares Via Central of Georgia Railway.
To Chicago, Ill., account Triennial Conclave Knights Templar, to be held August 8-13, 1910.

To Atlantic City, N. J., account National Encampment G. A. R. to be held Sept. 19-24, 1910.

To Black Mountain, N. C., account National Religious Training School and Chautauque (colored), to be held July 5-Aug. 31, 1910.

To Chattanooga, Tenn., account National League of Postmasters, to be held Oct. 12-14, 1910.

To Cincinnati, Ohio, account Ohio Valley Exposition, to be held Aug. 29-Sept. 24, 1910.

To Cincinnati, Ohio, account General Assembly of the Episcopal Church, to be held Oct. 5-6, 1910.

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To Florida, Ga., account Annual Indian Springs Holiness Camp Meeting, to be held Aug. 11-21, 1910.

To Milwaukee, Wis., account Biennial Encampment and Convention of Supreme Lodge Knights of Pythias, to be held Aug. 1-10, 1910.

For full information in regard to rates, dates of sale, limits, schedules, etc., apply to nearest ticket agent.

For Representative in Congress.
To the Voters of the First Congressional District of Georgia:
After careful consideration of the matter, and believing that the citizens of this congressional district are willing to trust the national affairs thereof to my keeping, I hereby announce my candidacy for Congress to represent the First Congressional District of Georgia during the Sixty-second session, subject to the Democratic primary, or other methods that may be prescribed by the democratic executive committee for the district.

I fully realize the great responsibilities of this office, and the duties of the holder thereof to his constituency. If the voters of the district see fit to elect me, my entire time and energy shall be devoted to the material upbuilding and development of my every interest, and with the cooperation of my best efforts and ability, endeavor to build a monument to which the people of my district will not be ashamed to refer as the work of their representative in Congress.

Every vote cast for me will be appreciated and remembered, and the efforts of my friends in my behalf will never be forgotten.

Yours faithfully to serve,
ERNEST J. GILES.

For Tax Collector.
I take this method of announcing to the people of Bulloch county that I am a candidate for Tax Collector, subject to the Democratic primary of 1910. I ask the support of the voters of Bulloch county, and I will do my duty as near as possible. Thanking the people in advance for what they may do for me, I am, respectfully,
C. W. ESKIN.

For Sheriff.
I appreciate the hearty support accorded me by my friends in the past, and hereby announce myself a candidate for re-election to the office of Sheriff of Bulloch county, subject to the Democratic primary of 1910. If elected, I pledge fidelity to duty which has characterized my past administration of this office heretofore, and will appreciate your support.

Yours very truly,
CHAS. G. EDWARDS.

For County Treasurer.
For the office of county treasurer I announce myself a candidate for a second term. Thanking all in advance for a liberal support, and promising to fill the office to the best of my ability.

Very truly,
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For Tax Receiver.
At the solicitation of many friends in different parts of this county, I take this method of announcing my candidacy for the office of Tax Receiver, subject to the Democratic primary of 1910. I shall endeavor to do my duty to the best of my ability, and will appreciate the support of my friends throughout the county, and pledge my best efforts, if elected, to faithfully represent the people of my county.

Yielding to the kind solicitation of my friends, I have decided to offer myself a candidate for representative in the Georgia legislature, subject to the Democratic primary of 1910. I shall endeavor to do my duty to the best of my ability, and will appreciate the support of my friends throughout the county, and pledge my best efforts, if elected, to faithfully represent the people of my county.

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For City Court Judge.
To the Citizens of Bulloch County:
At the solicitation of my friends, I hereby announce myself a candidate for judge of the city court of Statesboro, subject to the Democratic primary of 1910.

In making this announcement I desire to express my high appreciation of the honors I have received at the hands of the citizens of my native county in the past, and I promise, if I should merit a continuation of their confidence and they elect me to succeed myself as judge of the city court of Statesboro, that in the future, as in the past, I will "Administer justice without respect to persons and equal rights to the poor and rich."

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Metter Property for Sale.
Two-story brick building in Metter, occupied by Metter Drug Co.; paying good interest on investment. Reason for selling, have other interests in view. W. D. KENNEDY.

For Solicitor City Court.
To the Voters of Bulloch County:
I am a candidate for the office of Solicitor of the City Court of Statesboro. If the people can see their way clear to give me their support at the next primary, I will appreciate it and, in the event of my election, will give to the office the best service of which I am capable.

At the earnest solicitation of my friends I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of Solicitor of the City Court of Statesboro, subject to the Democratic primary of 1910. I will be thankful to the people for their support, and if elected pledge to them my best services in the full discharge of the duties of the office. Yours respectfully,
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of Virginia, North Carolina, South
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nishing very substantial proof of the
fact that the south is constantly de-
veloping more attention to raising its
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from the last report of the bureau of
statistics of the United States depart-
ment of agriculture. The acreage in
corn for the two years in these states
is shown in the following table:

1909.	1910.
Virginia . . . 2,940,000	2,142,000
North Carolina . . . 2,930,000	2,930,000
South Carolina . . . 2,218,000	2,418,000
Georgia . . . 4,400,000	4,382,000
Kentucky . . . 3,588,000	3,588,000
Tennessee . . . 3,276,000	2,718,000
Alabama . . . 3,233,000	3,254,000
Mississippi . . . 2,510,000	2,382,000

Total . . . 24,742,000 26,277,000

The table shows that each state
showed an increase over 1909 in 1910.
The condition of this year's crop as
reported by the department shows
the states of the south leading the
country, Mississippi being first, Ala-
bama second and Georgia third.
This great increase in the acreage
devoted to corn is considered one of
the most hopeful signs in the south
today. In a letter to the directors of
the Southern Railway company, Presi-
dent Finley called particular atten-
tion to these figures and said:

"The pleasure in the acreage of corn
accompanied, as it is, by a quite gen-
eral adoption of improved cultivation
methods, is one of the most encourag-
ing features of southern agriculture
at present. It is one of the results
of a general movement throughout the
south in the direction of diversified
agriculture—a movement which we
are endeavoring to encourage and as-
sist as far as we can properly do."

As the farmers of the south in-
crease their yield of corn, they will
have enormous surpluses of the grain
being expended in the west for food
products and will consequently them-
selves realize more from cotton and
other market crops. Economic au-
thorities agree in declaring the Ameri-
can corn crop the basis of the coun-
try's prosperity.

KING'S OATH CHANGED.

Slap at Catholics in English Oath is
Eliminated.

London, England.—The King's As-
sessment declaration bill in an amend-
ed form passed its second reading in
the house of commons by a vote of
410 to 84. The bill as it now stands
contains the provision that the oath
shall be "I am a faithful Protestant."
The nonconformists showed strong
opposition to the original substituting
clause, which read "and declare that
I am a faithful member of the Prot-
estant Church as by law established in
England," and the premier finally ac-
cepted their amendment.

It is believed that all the difficul-
ties have now been removed and that
the bill will pass the commons in the
stage and be accepted by the house
of lords without further trouble.
During the discussion in the com-
mons, several anti-Catholic societies
gathered near the parliament and a
number of "no popery" placards were
displayed.

Cabbage Talk.

The would-be contributor to the agri-
cultural college paper, entered the
manuscript.
"How'd you find my dissertation on
cabbage?" he cheerfully inquired.
"On the pork!" snapped the editor.
"I could tell you it down!" sug-
gested the non-journalesque contributor.
"I fear our readers couldn't digest
it then," sardonically chuckled the
editor.

COTTON MILL MERGER

HAS \$20,000,000 CAPITAL

Mill Owners Form International
Cotton Mill Corporation.

22 MILLS IN CONSOLIDATION

The Merger of Cotton Mills is Said to Be the
Largest of the Kind Ever Attempted
in the United States.

Baltimore.—Plans for the reorganiza-
tion of the big holding company
which is to be the consolidated
Cotton Duct company and other
large cotton manufacturing concerns
in this country, together with cor-
dage and other cotton product plants,
have been outlined. The new com-
pany will be known as the Internation-
al Cotton Mills corporation and was
organized under the laws of Mas-
sachusetts and has a capital of \$20,-
000,000.

Under the plan additional capital
will be infused into the business of
the Consolidated Cotton Duct com-
pany as well as the other companies
which will be absorbed by the new
corporation and those behind the new
corporation believe that the financial
condition of all companies concerned
will have been greatly strengthened.
The company will acquire either by
direct ownership or by stock control,
certain textile mills and sales and dis-
tributing companies located in this
country and Canada, together with
manufacture and sell some three
thousand varieties of cotton fabrics,
probably a greater diversity of cotton
fabrics than any other concern.

The properties consolidated repre-
sent twenty-two miles and thousands
of acres of land, part of which is un-
der cotton cultivation, and employing
10,000 hands, with an aggregate an-
nual output of approximately
\$18,000,000.

Among them are the Stark mills of
Manchester (N. H.); the Mount Ver-
non Woodbury Cotton Duct company,
the Consolidated Cotton Duct com-
pany, the Boston Yarn company, the
Ray State Cotton corporation, the
Eastern mill and the Maryland mills.

ACCUSED OF BRIBE-TAKING.

Alleged That Members of Texas Leg-
islature Were Bought.

Austin, Texas.—Campaign charges
of irregularity in connection with the
election of members of the Texas leg-
islature were brought to bear during the
regular session of the Texas leg-
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Nebraska Democrats Against Bryan's
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Grand Rapids, Neb.—Nebraska
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the state organization from William
J. Bryan on the issue of county op-
tion. By decisive votes they registered
their opposition to Bryan's attitude
after listening to an impassioned ap-
peal from Mr. Bryan, who declared
that he was not a prohibitionist and
was not going to support any legisla-
tion that would deprive the citizen of
his right to drink.

GEORGIA CROP SHORT.

Georgia's Cotton Crop Short 46 Per
Cent Last Year.

Atlanta, Ga.—The department of
agriculture's estimate of crop condi-
tion in Georgia, shows the cotton
crop of the state compared with the
yield last year to be 62 per cent, mak-
ing a reduction in value of 46 per
cent, or 1,778,000 bales estimated this
year, against 1,900,000 bales raised
last year. From every section the
report shows that the crop is in bad
shape, due to too much rain.

Atlanta Bandit Hanged.

Decatur, Ga.—Protecting his inno-
cence to the last, Charlie Walker, one
of the four negroes convicted of the
murder of Motorman S. T. Brown, in
the Atlanta street car hold-up of a
few months ago, met his death on the
gallows in the DeKalb county jail.

Banks Hold Fast Reserve.

Washington.—According to a state-
ment issued by the controller of the
currency, the total reserve of the
banks held by all national banks on June
30 last, was \$1,314,957,018, an in-
crease of 21 of the deposits being sub-
ject to reserve requirements.

Fire Destroys Chester Shops.

Columbia, S. C.—Fire that started
from an unknown origin tonight de-
stroyed the shops of the cotton com-
pany and the cotton gin company and
papers by wedding his mother-in-law,
60 years old. His bride before the
wedding was Mrs. Elizabeth Fuchs,
whose daughter divorced Kritz sev-
eral years ago. Both lived at Oka-
toos, Ill. Friends of the two are
trying to figure out just what rela-
tion Kritz is to his wife.

PLAN TO RAISE MAINE.

Enlight Engineer Submits Feasible Propo-
sition to Government.

Washington, D. C.—J. E. O'Rourke,
the engineer who built the tunnel
at Foulkeville and drove the
Pennsylvania railroad tunnel under
the North river, last before Acting
secretary of War Oliver D. Miller, for
raising the Maine from the mud of
Ipswich harbor.

Directly, this newest plan is based
upon a system of pneumatic caissons,
such as have made possible the build-
ings of extremely deep foundations
under water and which contributed
largely to the success of the building
of tunnels under the Hudson. No di-
vers are used and the poisonous air
is put completely aside. The method
proposed is to sink the caisson in a
drain of powerful caissons and lift
her completely out of the water, where
a complete inspection of her hull will
be possible.

While the ship is suspended above
water, Mr. O'Rourke declares she can
be repaired as readily as if she were
in dry dock and after the repairs
from the cable crane can leave
Ipswich harbor under her own steam.
This is said to be the only method
proposed which would prevent the
ship to a naval base in precisely the
same condition as she sank on the
night of February 15, 1938.

First, a waist of piles would be
built on either side of the submerged
wreck. Then, between the piles and
the hull twelve pneumatic caissons
would be sunk, six on each side.
The caissons would be driven down
would be employed thereafter and a
hundred little tunnels would be driv-
en through the mud, under the keel
of the ship, between the caissons.
Through each tunnel a powerful
steel cable would be run up to
the outside of the caisson. The
waist above, so there would be a
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feet, and the aggregate of all would
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Atlanta.—A sweeping change in the
Western Union Telegraph company, by
which Atlanta becomes headquarters
for practically all of the south
east of the Mississippi river, has been
decided upon. The details are being
perfected now and the reorganization
becomes effective about September 1.
Under the new order Atlanta will be
come headquarters of the Southeast-
ern division, which will comprise all
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Are Entitled To.

Chicago.—An important step in the
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LEES STATUE STAYS IN STATUARY HALL

In the Senate.
SATURDAY, JULY 30.

The senate was not in session Sat-
urday.

FRIDAY, JULY 29.
Friday, the senate debated three
hours and the refused to amend the
registration law. Passed several lo-
cal measures. Adjourned until ten
o'clock Monday.

THURSDAY, JULY 28.
Thursday, the senate debated most
of session on amendment to registra-
tion law. Senator Cullum sworn in
to succeed the late Senator W. D.
Murray of the Thirteenth district. Re-
ceived invitation from President Smit-
h to a barbecue.

That people in other parts of the
country are keeping up with what
the Georgia legislature is doing is
shown by a letter received by Repre-
sentative of Cobb county. This let-
ter comes from Arthur Burrage
Farwell, president of the Chicago Law
and Order league, who saw a story
regarding Mr. Moss' bill against the
white slave trade in Cobb county. He
is interested in the bill and asks
Mr. Moss to let him know whether
or not it passes and to send him a
copy of it.

After attending the messenger ser-
vice bill of Mr. Alexander of DeKalb
so as to reduce the employment age
from twenty-one years to sixteen and
to exempt towns of less than five
thousand inhabitants from its provi-
sions, the house committee on labor
and industries decided to report it
favorably.

The report of the house committee
on public property relative to the
Barron investigation was read and
adopted without a dissenting vote.
The report related all the facts con-
nected with the case and concluded
with the statement that the investi-
gation had been conducted in a fair
and impartial manner and that the
charges made against the keeper of
public buildings and grounds had been
entirely unwarranted.

The house passed a bill which
will be of interest to the legal profes-
sion over the state of Georgia. The
bill, introduced by Mr. Johnson of
Fulton, is entitled an act to define
the rights and powers of attorneys.
It provides that neither the attor-
ney at law nor the clerk of the court
shall be liable for damages for the
negligence of the attorney.

CONDITION OF COTTON.

Deterioration in Texas and Oklahoma,
and Improvement Elsewhere.

Memphis, Tenn.—The Commercial
Appeal publishes this summary of the
cotton crop situation:
The cotton crop deteriorated during
the week in Texas and Oklahoma by
reason of drought, but improved else-
where on an absence of rain.

The situation in Texas and Okla-
homa is fast becoming serious, some
sections being reported in the driest
places.
Temperatures were very high at
most times, which makes the lack of
moisture more acute. A good rain
would do much to improve the situa-
tion, but its growth and fruiting
have already been harvested.

The fields east of the Mississippi
rivers are now nearly clear, and the
cotton is being harvested. The crop
is generally small, and is now begin-
ning to bloom freely and make bolls.
Without a late autumn report indi-
cating a very moderate out-turn in the
vicinity of Richmond and Mont-
gomery, Ala.—Dry weather
has been the salvation of the Alabama
cotton crop. However, prospects are
not as bright as they were several
weeks ago, and the outlook is not
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Smith's Waycross Speech.

On account of serious indisposition, Hon. Hoke Smith was forced to cancel his appointment to speak at Waycross last Friday. His speech had, however, already been carefully prepared and advance copies of it given to the daily press of the state for publication. Its publication, therefore, followed Saturday with the foregoing explanation.

It was a strong document, and being his first speech since his announcement, is regarded as the keynote of the present campaign. From it we take the liberty to herewith present a few extracts which will prove of interest.

Mr. Smith declares the franchise law, by which the negro was eliminated from politics in Georgia, enacted during his administration, the wisest of any southern state. He declares against any change in the new registration law that followed the franchise law.

"We should resist every effort to dismember the commission. We should support for positions upon the commission the ablest and purest men who are willing to serve," says Mr. Smith, in reference to the railroad commission.

The continuance of the public convicts at work on the state roads and opposition to a return to the convict lease system are urged by Mr. Smith. He declared that the experiment of convict road building has justified the change in the state's penal system.

"There is no difficulty about handling the finances of the state if they are managed with conservatism and intelligence," declares Mr. Smith. "I believe earnestly in the prompt payment of teachers' salaries. They were more promptly paid when I was governor than ever before. But the state should not issue bonds for current expenses."

"It has been charged that the progressive Democracy sought to keep foreign capital from coming to Georgia. This was another political story," declares Mr. Smith. "The man who told it knew it was not true. No one desires more than I do to see foreign capital come to Georgia. We desire manufacturing, we desire banking institutions, we desire commercial houses."

As to port rates, Mr. Smith says: "I do not undertake to say what any particular rate should be; I only insist that all rates to and from the ports should be fixed upon the basis of what is the reasonable charge for the particular haul and that the rates should not be made unnecessarily high with a view of accomplishing some purpose besides that of paying the carrier a legitimate price for his service. Rates to and from the ports should be considered by the railroad commission just as they consider all other rates."

Under the caption, "Absurd Claims," Mr. Smith says: "But we are told that Georgia is now prosperous and that the reactionary force of the present administration deserves the credit. California is prosperous, Texas is prosperous, Wisconsin is prosperous, northwestern British America is prosperous. The present administration has had as much to do with the prosperity of Georgia as it had to do with the prosperity of the other sections to which I have referred."

Dr. Max Bafl has looked over the millinery styles and draws the inference therefrom that woman is still a savage.—Chicago News. We must admit that the present millinery styles are far from tame—and we've often seen a woman go wild over a new hat.

The Issues That Are Now Before the People.

(Atlanta Journal.)

What has the present administration accomplished for the people of Georgia?

What did the preceding administration accomplish for the people?

Answer these simple questions in accordance with the plain facts of history and you will know how to vote for your own and state's welfare in the primary August 23d. A law is to be valued by the public good it produces, a governor by the public service he renders. Measured by this fair and reasonable standard, what does the record of the Smith administration and the Brown administration show?

To the schools of the state the Smith administration found a way to appropriate six hundred thousand dollars more than was ever before appropriated and every dollar of the increase was paid. This proves its interest in the cause of education and at the same time its careful management of its finances.

At the close of the year 1909, which was really the close of Hoke Smith's financial administration, because it was under him that the bill fixing the revenue and appropriation for that year was passed, the state commanded over two million dollars more than it owed.

On the other hand, Gov. Brown has proposed to yoke upon the taxpayers a bonded debt of six hundred thousand dollars on the pretext of paying the teachers when Governor Smith had shown that the schools could actually be paid an increase of six hundred thousand dollars without any embarrassment to the state's income.

Governor Brown furthermore has encouraged the publication of untrue statements that represented Georgia as bankrupt, when as a matter of fact she had a treasury surplus of over two millions. The Smith administration produced definite results for the schools. The Brown administration has only made fruitless and absurd proposals. The one managed the finances in a businesslike, economical manner. The other has libeled the treasury.

Under Hoke Smith there was passed a pure election law and the negro disfranchisement law. The first enables the real citizens of Georgia to control their affairs at the polls and guarantees to every bona fide voter his ballot's full power. The second took out of politics over two hundred thousand negroes.

On the other hand, the present administration has sought to repeal the laws which were passed when Hoke Smith was governor and which were secured by his own vigorous, determined effort. Besides this, its state executive committee has invented and thrust upon the people a set of arbitrary and confusing rules. The so-called prorrating rule has contrived to thwart popular will by throwing just as many nominations as possible into a convention where a few politicians instead of the electorate at large can select the state's public officials. The rule that prohibit single-shotting under any and all circumstances will in some instances force a citizen to vote for a candidate whom he may positively oppose or else deprive him altogether of the ballot for that particular office.

When Hoke Smith was governor there occurred a strike on the Georgia railroad. Certain interests urged him to send troops to disperse the men who felt that they had a just grievance to be righted. Had he yielded to these requests, there would undoubtedly have been bloodshed. But he kept a cool head and a steady hand and refused to plunge the state into danger. As a result the strike was settled by peaceful arbitration.

Governor Brown, pursuing a directly opposite policy, dispatched soldiers to Durham, Ga., to overawe and drive from the state a handful of inoffensive workmen who had a disagreement with their employer over a question of wages. Thereby he needlessly, and contrary to law, thrust military force

into what was purely an economic issue. Under the administration of Hoke Smith and as a result of his force and determination the state's convicts were taken from private leases where they were producing wealth for a few men and were put to work building good roads for all the people. As a result of this law, the children of the country will find it easier to get to school, the farmer will find it easier to get to town with his produce and both the business and social interests of the state are benefited for all time to come.

What similar service has the present administration rendered? Let us put the question more simply. What positive result of any character has it produced? To what piece of legislation can it point? Only to this—a law imposing a tax on the dog.

These are the two administrations, the two governors between whom the people of Georgia are called upon to choose. The laws secured by Hoke Smith reach from the statute books out into the homes, the shops and farms, the roadways and the schools, strengthening and upbuilding the everyday interests of the people. Governor Brown has only sought to undo these laws. The results accomplished by Hoke Smith are definite and permanent, while not a single piece of constructive work for the public's good has been even attempted by the present administration.

Such are the issues and such are the candidates in the present campaign.

Cow and Yearling Stray.
Strayed from D. B. Franklin's place, near Clito, sometime in March, cow and yearling, marked as follows: Swallowtail in one ear, swallowtail and under-bit in other. Cow white on back and belly, sides black, badly away-backed; yearling, solid black.
E. C. HENDLEY,
Clito, Ga.

Congressman Kitchen Defends Edwards.

Mr. A. C. Parker, one of the most prominent citizens of Fannin county, formerly from North Carolina, wrote a letter to his friend, Congressman Claude Kitchen, of North Carolina, making inquiries about Congressman Edwards. Mr. Parker did not place the slightest credence in the rumor reflecting on Congressman Edwards, but wished an expression from Kitchen, who by the way is a brother of Gov. Will Kitchen, and here is his reply:

Scotland Neck, N.C., July 7, 1910.
Mr. A. C. Parker, Claxton, Ga.:
Dear Mr. Parker—On my return home yesterday I found your letter of recent date, making inquiries relative to Hon. C. G. Edwards, a member of congress from the Savannah district. In reply, I beg to say that I have known well Mr. Edwards since he has been a member of congress, and have been for the last two sessions of congress intimately associated with him, having lived during the last session in the same hotel with him, seeing him daily. Since he has been in Washington he has led a clean, straight, moral life, and I have never observed anything in his conversation or conduct that would arouse the slightest suspicion against his morality. No member of congress who knows him would give the slightest credence to the charges referred to in your letter.

I hope you will find Georgia almost as good as North Carolina. Tar Heels, you know, never recognize any state quite so good as the old North state.

With assurances of my kindest regards and best wishes, I beg to remain, yours very truly,
CLAUDE KITCHEN.

Dog Tax May Yield \$100,000.
Atlanta, July 20.—If the percentage of dogs to taxpayers already established continues in the returns from counties which are yet to report to the comptroller general's office, Captain Tip Harrison estimates that the dog tax will yield the state over \$100,000 this year, and that it may run up to \$125,000.

The returns from Banks county were received yesterday and showed 959 dogs returned for taxation at \$1 per head, 1,513 white taxpayers returning 746 dogs and 280 negro taxpayers returning 213 dogs.

I. Willie Strickland, acknowledge that I have made remarks about Miss Lizzie Robbins reflecting on her character, which I wish to say was false and without foundation.
Dated this 25th day of June, 1910.
His
WILLIE (X) STRICKLAND.
Mark
Attested by D. M. ROGERS, JR.

Matrimonial Offer.
A pretty young lady wants to marry a nice, handsome young man. The husband to set a good table, which is easily done if you buy from
J. E. DONEHO.

Groceries and Feed Stuff . . . In large or small quantities

Having secured the agency for the MOUNTAIN CITY MILLS, Chattanooga, Tenn., I am prepared to furnish for immediate delivery

Flour, Grits, Meal, Hay, Oats and Corn
at lowest possible price. Goods received constantly in carload quantities, and carried in stock for quick delivery. Warehouse near Savannah and Statesboro depot.

D. BARNES, Statesboro, Ga.

Don't kick if your bread and pastry are not satisfactory. Perhaps your skill is handicapped by inferior flour. All your baking troubles will vanish if you will use Rising Sun Self-Rising Extra Fancy Patent—the Flour with the spotless record. Sold by all leading grocers.

Wanted.
A thoroughly reliable man wants a position either as clerk or to collect for a good, reliable firm. Something that will pay a fair salary to begin with. Address "W." care BULLOCH TIMES.

Jones Furniture Company

Statesboro, Georgia

We have just received a large shipment of Porch Rockers; will sell them from \$1.25 up. Furniture of all kinds—bed room and parlor suits, hall racks, sideboards, dining chairs and tables—sewing machines, lamps, hammocks, swings, all on easy instalment payments.

We pride ourselves on our display of
Ice Boxes and Refrigerators

Stock includes these:

**CHAMPION
REGENT
RIVAL
ERIE**



HUB SHOES

Dressy, For the Trip to Town

Besides quality and durability, another redeeming feature of HUB shoes is their stylish appearance.

We employ expert designers who keep up with the styles each season and create new models of HUB shoes accordingly. We make so many different shapes that it is easy for any one to be fitted in a HUB shoe—one that keeps its shape.

HUB shoes are for Men, Women and Children. To induce you to try a pair, we are giving a very useful present for the front of the box of

"RIGHT ROYAL" \$3.50
"CHARACTER" \$5.00
"HELEN HUNT" \$2.50
"QUEEN ROSALIND" \$3.00

HUB Shoes for Men
HUB Shoes for Women

Some merchant in your town handles HUB shoes. Don't be satisfied with a "Just as Good" pair, favor us with a trial of HUB shoes. We'll appreciate it—and you will appreciate their excellent value, good wearing qualities and dressy appearance.

JOS. ROSENHEIM SHOE CO. SAVANNAH, GA.
Makers of HUB Shoes

Are Doctors Any Good?

Foolish question! Yet some people act as if a medicine could take the place of a doctor! The best medicine in the world cannot do this. Have a family doctor, consult him frequently, trust him fully. If we did not believe doctors endorsed Ayer's Cherry Pectoral for coughs and colds, we would not offer it to you. Ask your doctor. No alcohol in this cough medicine. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.

If we did not believe doctors endorsed Ayer's Pills for constipation, biliousness, sick headache, we would not offer them to you. Ask your own doctor about this.

City and County

Mr. J. D. Blitch and family visited Augusta Monday.

Mr. J. M. Williams was a visitor from Dublin yesterday on business.

5 or 6 doses 666 will cure any case of Chills and Fever. Price 25c.

Miss Alma Davis is the guest of Miss Amelia, Jaekel in Savannah, for several days.

Mrs. A. P. Kendrick and Mrs. A. K. McLemore left yesterday morning to their former home in Kentucky.

Fall Cabbage seed—big stock. Olliff & Smith.

Mrs. W. D. Davis will leave the latter part of the week for Tybee to spend several weeks on the seashore.

Miss Louise Hughes is spending a couple of weeks in Eastman, the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Robert Wynne.

Get your Hay Wire of Raines Hardware Co.

Misses Andra Hughes and Gusie Lee have returned from a two-weeks' visit with friends in the vicinity of Daisy.

Prof. B. H. Culbreth, who spent the summer in the city, left Saturday for a months' visit with relatives in Barwick, Ga.

Garden Seed for fall planting—get them from Olliff & Smith.

Mrs. R. W. Mathews, of Millen, arrived yesterday to be the guest for several days of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Davis.

Hon. W. J. Willie, of Cairo, visited relatives at Metter during the week, and was a pleasant caller at the Times office Monday.

We have a few Hammocks that we will close out at reduced prices. Raines Hardware Co.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Oliver left Monday afternoon for a month's visit in Tablequah, Okla., the guests of Judge J. H. Pritchard.

Mr. T. J. Denmark moved with his family to Adabelle today, having accepted a position as bookkeeper for the Adabelle Trading Co.

Turnip and Cabbage seed in bulk—ounce or pound quantities. Olliff & Smith.

Rev. J. W. Tinley and family, of Rocky Ford, spent several days the past week visiting relatives in Statesboro, returning home yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Harper returned Sunday from a two-months' visit in New York state, visiting Mr. Harper's people who are residents of that state.

Schulz Pianos—the finest made—a carload just received, and to be sold on easy terms. Jones Furniture Co.

Legal sale day yesterday was the attraction for the usual first Tuesday crowd. Only a few pieces of real estate were offered for sale, and bidding was not very brisk.

Robert Buist Cabbage and Turnip Seed—the best grown. Olliff & Smith.

Mr. J. O. Turner, who has been so long with typhoid fever for several weeks his life was despaired of, is now said to be somewhat improved, with excellent chances for his recovery.

We can furnish you repairs for your Mowing Machine at reasonable prices. Raines Hardware Co.

Mrs. F. N. Grimes and Miss Nannie Simmons returned yesterday afternoon from Atlanta, where they spent several days visiting their father, Representative Simmons.

Seasons are good; plant your fall garden—seed of all kinds in abundance. Olliff & Smith.

Mr. J. D. Hicks, of Waycross, is a resident of Statesboro with his family, having accepted the man-

agement of the furniture department of the Raines Hardware Co., which will be opened up about the 15th inst.

Figure with us for your Building Material and Paints. We are headquarters. Raines Hardware Co.

Mr. C. P. Olliff made a trip to Savannah Sunday on his motorcycle, spending the day in the city and returning at night. He found the roads in fair condition, and the trip in each direction was made in about three hours.

Plant your fall garden. Robert Buist's seeds—the most reliable in the United States. Olliff & Smith.

Mr. D. R. Deke, of McRae, was a visitor to the city during the week. He will be accompanied home today in his automobile by his wife and children, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Williams for several weeks.

5 or 6 doses 666 will cure any case of Chills and Fever. Price 25c.

Mr. Sam Friedman returned to Savannah yesterday, after a visit of several days in the city, the guest of his brother, Mr. D. Friedman. He was accompanied home by Mrs. D. Friedman, who will spend several days visiting relatives in Savannah.

Rutabaga, Cowhorn, and Purple Top turnip seed, in large or small quantities—ounce or pound. Olliff & Smith.

Rev. E. M. Overby returned Saturday from Americus, where he was called several days ago by the illness of his baby. Mrs. Overby has been visiting relatives in that city for two weeks, and while there the baby was taken seriously ill, but is now improving.

Notice the improved acoustic rim, a special feature of the Schulz Piano. Carload of instruments just received. Jones Furniture Co.

County Commissioner DeLoach, acting under authority of the board, is having a mile of clay road built by contract on the public road near his mill. The work of claying has been let to private parties at a cost of 30 cents per yard, which is said to be proving profitable to the contractors and satisfactory to the county board.

Mr. B. J. Sheppard, of the firm of Jones & Sheppard, of Savannah, accompanied by Mr. L. B. Whitmore, special representative of the Schulz Piano Co., is in the city with a display of those celebrated instruments. Prices range from \$500 to \$400; terms to suit. Call at Jones Furniture Co.

Mrs. Isalah Parrish Dead.
Mrs. Isalah Parrish, living in the Lockhart district, died Saturday morning after only a brief illness with appendicitis. The burial was at the Lake church cemetery Sunday morning.

Wanted.
At once, a small house close in, cheap. Address TIMES office.
C. L. MOORE.

Blind-Bland.
At Metter, on Sunday afternoon, Miss Cora Bland and Mr. Willie Bland were united in marriage. Rev. T. J. Cobb officiating. The bride is the daughter of Mr. Geo. W. Bland, a well known citizen of that locality. The groom is in the employ of the W. L. Jones Co., and is a popular young gentleman.

An Open Cotton Boll.

The first open cotton boll of the present season was presented to the TIMES office last Thursday by Mr. R. R. Blackburn, who is farming two miles north of the city. Mr. Blackburn states that his crop prospects have never been better than now, and the outlook is for a good yield of both cotton and corn.

Horses for Sale.
Two good family horses will be sold cheap; both perfectly gentle.
W. D. KENNEDY,
Metter, Ga.

JONES AND HARRIS IN COMBAT

IN JOINT DISPUTE, HARRIS GETS KNIFE WOUND IN FACE.

A dispute between Walter Harris and Moses Jones, colored, Sunday afternoon resulted in Harris receiving a knife wound in his face from the hand of Jones.

A further result was a fine of \$10 each in the mayor's court Monday morning, and the binding of Jones to the city court on the charge of stabbing.

The entire episode appears to have been the outgrowth of the recent week's engagement of a merry-go-round to Statesboro. It is said that on one occasion Harris and Jones' wife enjoyed a "joy ride" on the "flying jenny," and that Moses was displeased with the incident. In Harris' absence Moses applied an epithet to him which later reached his ears and caused him displeasure. They met Sunday afternoon, Harris being in a buggy and Jones afoot. Compliments were exchanged, and after the debate it was discovered that Harris' face was badly cut. Jones said he must have done it accidentally when Harris jumped out of the buggy on top of him.

Meriwether Vindicator:
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If reports are true Mr. Edwards will carry Burke county by a large majority. — Savannah Morning News.



Choice cotton seed oil, refined by the exclusive Wesson process, contains no animal fat. It costs less than butter, is more wholesome and gives better results for all cooking purposes. It fries without smoke or odor. Being a liquid, it is easy to exactness. Keeps fresh without ice in hottest weather. It is a salad dressing of rare flavor and purity. There is no guess when cook with
WESSON SNOWDRIFT OIL
For Cooking and Salads.

Write for the free Wesson Snowdrift Oil Cook Book. It contains many useful, original recipes for cooking and salad making. It makes clear to the reader the many uses of Wesson Snowdrift Oil. It is printed in large type, on good quality of paper and is a useful asset to every household. Mailed free on request.

W. J. SPEER CONTINUES TO RECEIVE STRONG ENDORSEMENTS FOR RE-ELECTION TO OFFICE OF TREASURER

Ex-State Treasurer, Who Again Seeks the Office, Given Strong Endorsement by the Press.

Atlanta Journal:
Perhaps no man seeking office was ever given more unanimous support from the press of the state than is being accorded Hon. W. J. Speer, who is asking the voters of Georgia to put him in charge of affairs at the state treasurer's office.

This gentleman served the state in this capacity for twenty years to the complete and entire satisfaction to all.

If the press of Georgia is really powerful, indications are that Mr. Speer will be returned to the office of state treasurer for from every section of the state comes press endorsements and commendations.

Here are a few of the many comments gleaned from Georgia papers.

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BANK OF STATESBORO

STATESBORO, GA.

Capital and Surplus, \$100,000

Officers:
J. L. COLEMAN, President W. C. PARKER, Vice-President
S. C. GROOVER, Cashier
Directors:
J. L. MATHEWS W. C. PARKER S. C. GROOVER
B. T. OUTLAND E. L. SMITH W. H. ELLIS
J. L. COLEMAN

We want your Banking business

Groover & Kennedy Name of New Firm.

Groover & Kennedy is the name of the new hardware firm that has succeeded that of Jones & Kennedy. The new firm is composed of Messrs. D. R. and George Groover and Ed. H. Kennedy, the two first named having purchased the interest of J. M. Jones in the old firm.

The sale occurred several days ago, but the taking of stock was not completed until Saturday, and the actual transfer occurred Monday. The promise of a successful future of the new firm is bright. Mr. Kennedy has been engaged in the hardware business in Statesboro for several years, and understands the line thoroughly. Mr. D. R. Groover, also, has had large experience in that line, and is regarded as one of the best posted men in the city. George Groover has been associated with the Savannah and Statesboro railway for many years, and his business training equips him well to hold his place in the new firm.

Edwards Makes Hit With People.
Marlow, Ga., July 30.—Congressman Charles G. Edwards spoke to a large crowd of people here today in the interest of his candidacy for re-election. Congressman Edwards told the people what he had planned to do for them during the next term of his incumbency. He pointed to what he had done for his district, and promised to do even more in the future. Mr. Edwards gained much ground here, and his outlook in this section is bright.—Savannah Morning News.

SUMMER EXCURSION RATES

Via Central of Georgia Ry.
Commencing May 15th, 1910, Central of Georgia railway will sell summer excursion tickets to resorts in the United States, Canada and Mexico at low rates. Ask nearest ticket agent for full information in regard to rates, selling dates, limits, stop-overs, etc.

The Economical Way to Cook

You enjoyed the goodies prepared by the Misses DeLettre at the demonstration of the Wesson Snowdrift Oil? And you wished you could cook like that, and wondered why your salads sometimes lack the smoothness and fine flavor that make salads so desirable. Weren't the baked and fried things good? You never thought it possible to fry anything without that greasy taste. You see it can be done.

Now if your cooking is as good as you want it to be, we're not talking to you. But if you really want to make your salads a little richer, your cakes a little finer, and your fried food more wholesome—listen.

The only way to get satisfactory results in cooking is to use only the best ingredients, mix them with proper care, and cook them so they will retain all their natural juices without destroying their flavor, or the digestive properties that make food wholesome. The flavoring, savoring, shortening, frying agent must be pure and digestible, else your cakes will be heavy, your fried stuff greasy, and your salads will lack the right favor and consistency. Don

Edwards Replies to Simmons and Anderson

Says They Ought to be Attending to Their Duties for Which They are Being Paid by the State Instead of Running Giles' Campaign.

My attention has been called to an article purporting to have been written by Hon. Rafe Simmons, appearing in last Saturday's Press, addressed to the voters of the First District. Uncle Rafe is getting real patriotic in his old days, but that article reads like the composition of some shrewd ringer lawyer politician instead of Uncle Rafe's writings. It is very similar to a letter I saw recently addressed to a Bulloch county citizen from Hon. J. J. K. Anderson along the same line. These two gentlemen are the representatives from Bulloch county. From their work up there no one would hardly know that they are the representatives, except as they collect in the mileage and per diem from the state.

Well, Uncle Rafe says that he is "agin" me because I voted for the Fitzgerald amendments. Will some one please ask Uncle Rafe what the amendments were? Why is it that Uncle Rafe and Julian have never raised my complaint against the method of appointing the committee of the house where they are serving? It is done the same way there that it is in the House in Washington, and yet they both condemn me for the very thing they practice in Atlanta. Be fair, gentlemen, even if you are in the Georgia legislature.

Now, let's see about Uncle Rafe. He was in my office last summer, several months after that vote on the rules, and in the presence of my secretary and a good Bulloch county citizen who was here at the time in my office in Savannah, stated that he was for me unless Randolph Anderson, editor of the Press, and that he was the only man in the district he would vote for as against me. You know Uncle Rafe will be satisfied if he goes to "Randolph" when he dies.

Why this change—that was after the rules vote. Was it not because I declared in favor of legislation that would forever abolish gambling in cotton fields instead of the rules vote? No one ever heard of Uncle Rafe raising any point of order against the rules vote until recently, but the public will recall his vigorous protest against the bill to suppress gambling in cotton fields, and it will be recalled that he and Hon. Charles G. Bell, president of the Farmers' Union of this nation, had a lively tilt over the subject. Then it was that I first heard that Uncle Rafe was getting out with me, and then it was that he got to figuring with a little clique to find out a man that could beat me for congress. That was the "spoken of for congress," and that was the clique, including Giles, Julian, Rafe & Co., met by "appointment" at Reidville to decide who should be the man to oppose me. Giles had already announced, but they came to the conclusion that Giles could not beat me, so they told him he was "not the man," but Giles claimed that since he was already announced and in the field that he should be permitted to run the race through. So he remained in the race.

Now, mark you, last summer when Uncle Rafe was here in my office and said that I ought not to have opposed that I was doing a great wrong for my district, etc., and that there was but one man that he would vote for against me, etc., that was some months after the vote that Uncle Rafe now noses up as an excuse to offer for being against me. I would rather have him say for me than against me; he has been my friend, and it is his right to be for whom ever he sees fit, but when he was giving me all of that stuff that was before Uncle Rafe knew how I stood on the anti-gambling bill. Why didn't Uncle Rafe face and tell the people that that was the reason and not try to put it off on the rules vote?

He knows, and Julian knows, that the dirty slanders about me are untrue, and no one knows it better than these gentlemen. They know, too, that the statement that I went over to the Republicans, and that I sold out for a committee place is absolutely untrue. Any statement in that connection to the effect that anything save a conscientious discharge of duty actuated that vote is untrue. I voted then as on all occasions as I thought was right and best, and as my conscience dictated.

What assurance can Uncle Rafe or Julian give us that Giles will serve a period of three years in congress if elected and cast scores of votes as I have done and not have to be criticised for that I have been criticised for by these honorable?

I think that for a service of three years and having cast scores of votes and not to have just one lone vote to find fault with, it is a pretty good record.

Things Bulloch County Should Know.
Now, don't you think it would be far better if Uncle Rafe and Julian, who are paid by the state as Representatives of Bulloch county, would represent the county and quit representing Giles? It is common talk that Julian has Giles headquarters over in the Kimball House, and with a stenographer is conducting a campaign for Giles from Atlanta. Well, judging from the number of pleading epistles that are being sent into Bulloch there must be some truth in it. It is further stated upon good authority, too, that Julian is rarely in his seat in the House but instead is neglecting his pub-

lic duties in order to run Giles' campaign. I never neglected my public duties in the interest of my own campaign, and the people of the state ought to know how these two "Honorable" are doing. In Atlanta and ought to remember them for it. Uncle Rafe has attacked me through the Press, with an article well written by a lawyer politician, and Julian is sticking to me through the mails, with the help of that stenographer. The place for these "Honorable" is not at Giles headquarters at the Kimball but at the capital. When you get a letter from them, just write me and tell them they had better be putting in that time to pass some more legislation like the "dog tax," which they both supported. If I could not have done more for Bulloch county in the time he has been there than to have gotten through a dog tax law, which is a hardship on the poor people, I would certainly never raise my head to criticize another man. Take the record of Julian and Uncle Rafe what have they done for Bulloch? Take my record what have I done for Bulloch? Well, I have gotten the anti-gambling bill passed through the House, and that is what Uncle Rafe and Julian have not done. I have gotten a public building site for Statesboro, I have gotten a sub survey of the county, I have gotten established the co-operative and the method of appointing the committee of the house where they are serving? It is done the same way there that it is in the House in Washington, and yet they both condemn me for the very thing they practice in Atlanta. Be fair, gentlemen, even if you are in the Georgia legislature.

Well, Uncle Rafe may answer that he has been a great friend to the farmers. No doubt he has, but the farmers have been still greater friends to Uncle Rafe than he has to him, and he has profited out of their friendship far more than they have out of his.

In all fairness, it would seem that these gentlemen would look after their official business that they have been elected and are paid by the people to look after, and leave Giles' campaign alone. In addition, I should like to realize that the people of Bulloch county are intelligent and that they will know how to vote without having their minds made up for them by these gentlemen from Giles headquarters at the Kimball House.

If Giles can't "paddle his own canoe" without the aid of Currie, the barjo and harmonica player, who is loitering over the district to negroes and small boys, and such other curious ones that like to look on at a dime museum, and without the aid of Julian, Rafe and the stenographer from Giles headquarters at the Kimball House, he would hardly be able to "paddle his own canoe" in Congress, if elected, without the aid of me. It is utterly impossible to send the whole quartet of them to Congress the people had better speak out kindly but firmly and let these liars know that they will vote as they please; and that Uncle Rafe and Julian had better attend to the duties they were elected to attend to.

Yours truly,
CHAS. G. EDWARDS.

Oliff Makes Statement of His Platform.

Principles I Advocate.
I believe that every school district in the county should receive its full share of the public funds, both in pay of teachers and for the improvement of the buildings and furnishing of libraries and so on.

I believe that an itemized report should be submitted to the people once or twice a year, showing the amount of money received from the state and for what purpose it is expended.

If I am elected County School Commissioner I will see to it that the work that Uncle Rafe now noses up as an excuse to offer for being against me, I would rather have him say for me than against me; he has been my friend, and it is his right to be for whom ever he sees fit, but when he was giving me all of that stuff that was before Uncle Rafe knew how I stood on the anti-gambling bill. Why didn't Uncle Rafe face and tell the people that that was the reason and not try to put it off on the rules vote?

He knows, and Julian knows, that the dirty slanders about me are untrue, and no one knows it better than these gentlemen. They know, too, that the statement that I went over to the Republicans, and that I sold out for a committee place is absolutely untrue. Any statement in that connection to the effect that anything save a conscientious discharge of duty actuated that vote is untrue. I voted then as on all occasions as I thought was right and best, and as my conscience dictated.

What assurance can Uncle Rafe or Julian give us that Giles will serve a period of three years in congress if elected and cast scores of votes as I have done and not have to be criticised for that I have been criticised for by these honorable?

Farmer Bought New Suit As Surprise to His Wife

Champ Clark, the brilliant Democratic leader, said at the New Willard in Washington apropos of a political argument:

"Well, if they try to put that theory in practice they will be as much surprised as the Laddonia farmer was."

"A farmer out Laddonia way drove to Bowling Green one afternoon, and halting his wagon on a bridge over a deep stream, he took off his old patched coat, doubled it up and flung it in the water."

"'Won't Emily be surprised,' he said to himself. 'Won't she be took aback when she sees me so spick and span?'"

"He took off his waistcoat and sent it after his coat. Then he flung his hat into the stream, then his shirt, then his shoes and socks, then his trousers. And so this disrobing act kept on until the farmer—it was, of course, pitch dark by now—had nothing further to disrobe."

"I'll certainly surprise the wife," he said.

"Then, shivering a little in the evening air, he reached down for the package of new clothes. It wasn't under the seed bag. So he hopped lightly to the back of the wagon and searched the floor on hands and knees. But the bundle wasn't on the floor, either. For quite five minutes the farmer looked for it. And then, with a sigh, he took his old place again on the hard, cold seat and drove off homeward through the darkness."

"It was a long ride and a chilly ride for the white silk figure holding the reins, but it was ended at last, and the farmer hopped from the wagon and dashed nimbly indoors, hoping to reach his room unnoted."

"But his wife, a lamp in her hands, came full upon him in the hall. The strange, snowy apparition, moving so lightly, gave her a great shock."

"'Why, father!' she said.

"'But the farmer, brushing her aside, sped upstairs three steps at a time.

"'I said I'd surprise ye,' he shouted, grimly, 'and, by gosh, I reckon I've done it!'"

Oxen For Sale.

Will sell cheap three yoke of good oxen.
B. A. HENDRIX,
Pulaski, Ga.

Notice

We have in stock a line of McCormick and Deering Mowing Machine repairs. See McCoy at marble yard. We also have on hand a few McCormick and Deering Mower and Rakes, and Hay presses. Can supply you with a Gasoline Engine, Vertical corn meal mill, Feed Mills, Pumps, and other machinery.

McCoy & Prestorius, Agents.

For County School Commissioner.
I take this method of notifying the public that I am a candidate for the office of County School Commissioner of Bulloch county, subject to the August Democratic primary.

Your vote will be appreciated. Respectfully,
B. R. OLLIFF.

I hereby announce myself for re-election as county school commissioner of Bulloch county subject to the Democratic primary of August 2d, 1910. I am grateful for past favors and pledge the same careful supervision of the school interest of the county.

Excursion Fares Via Central of Georgia Railway.

To Chicago, Ill., account Triennial Convocation Knights Templar, to be held August 8-13, 1910.

To Atlantic City, N. J., account National Encampment G. A. R. to be held Sept. 19-24, 1910.

To Blue Ridge, Ga., account Georgia Baptist Assembly, to be held August 7-21, 1910. Excursion fares apply from points in Georgia.

To Baltimore, Md., account the B. M. C. of the G. U. O. of O. F. (colored), to be held Sept. 12-17, 1910.

To Black Mountain, N. C., account National Encampment G. A. R. to be held Sept. 24, 1910.

To Chattanooga, Tenn., account National Encampment of Postmasters, to be held Oct. 12-14, 1910.

To Cincinnati, Ohio, account Ohio Valley Exposition, to be held Aug. 29-Sept. 24, 1910.

To Cincinnati, Ohio, account General Assembly of the Episcopal Church, to be held Oct. 5-25, 1910.

To Chicago, Ill., account Triennial Convocation Knights Templar, to be held Aug. 8-13, 1910.

To Durham, N. C., account National Religious Training School and Chautauque, colored, to be held July 5-Aug. 31, 1910. Fares apply from selected points.

To Florida, Ga., account Annual Indian Springs Holiness Camp Meeting, to be held Aug. 11-21, 1910.

To Milwaukee, Wis., account Biennial Encampment and Convention of Supreme Lodge Knights of Pythias, to be held Aug. 1-10, 1910.

For full information in regard to rates, dates of sale, and schedules, etc., apply to nearest ticket agent.

For Tax Receiver.

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of Tax Receiver of Bulloch county subject to the Democratic nomination of 1910. I will appreciate the support of every voter and will give the office my best efforts to discharge the duties.

For Representative in Congress.

To the Voters of the First Congressional District of Georgia:
After careful consideration of the matter, and believing that the citizens of the congressional district are willing to trust the national affairs thereof to my keeping, I hereby announce my candidacy for congress, to represent the First Congressional District of Georgia during the Sixty-second session, subject to the Democratic primary, or other method that may be prescribed by the democratic executive committee for the district.

I fully realize the great responsibilities of this office, and the duties of the holder thereof to his constituency. If the voters of the district see fit to elect me, my entire time and energy shall be devoted to the material upbuilding and development of its every interest, and with the cooperation of my best efforts and ability, endeavor to build a monument to which the people of my district will not be ashamed to refer as the work of their representative in congress.

Every vote cast for me will be appreciated and remembered, and the efforts of my friends in my behalf will never be forgotten.

Yours faithfully to serve,
ERNEST J. GILES.

For Tax Collector.

I take this method of announcing to the people of Bulloch county that I am a candidate for Tax Collector, subject to the Democratic primary of 1910. I ask the people of the nomination to succeed me in my duty as near as possible. Thanking the people in advance for what they may do for me, I am respectfully,
C. W. ENNIS.

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Metter Property for Sale.

Two-story brick building in Metter, occupied by Metter Drug Co.; paying good interest on investment. Reason for selling, have other interests in view. W. D. KENNEDY.

For Solicitor City Court.

To the Voters of Bulloch County:
I am a candidate for the office of Solicitor of the City Court of Statesboro, Ga. If the people can see their way clear to give me their support at the next primary, I will appreciate it and, in the event of my election, will give to the office the best service of which I am capable.

FRED T. LAMIER.

At the earnest solicitation of my friends I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of Solicitor of the City Court of Statesboro, subject to the Democratic primary of 1910. I will be thankful to the people for their support, and if elected please to them my best services in the full discharge of the duties of the office. Yours respectfully,
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Sea Island Bank

J. F. BRANNEN, President
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Do You Get Mad When You Are Forced to Pay a Bill The Second Time?

Isn't it exasperating when you think the bill has been paid? Had you paid the bill with a bank check you could know the bill had been paid and prove it. Every cancelled check is eventually returned to the maker and may be retained for future reference.

Bills paid by check stay paid.

mission unless all the other boards of trade were given an equal prerogative. Yet, when Mr. Gray, one of the leading, if not the chief officer, of the Savannah chamber of commerce, holds his office with the state under present arrangements, this is precisely what happens. Suppose a matter of rates requiring adjustment between Savannah and Valdosta, or any other point, should come before the commission. Would Mr. Gray, the paid employee of the Savannah chamber of commerce, be qualified to pass upon the difference?

The question put by Mr. Scott is timely and to the point. The people are due a full and frank reply.

Good Farmers Coming to South in Crowds.

Washington, August 4.—The returning tide of Americans and immigrants from Canada and indications of an enormous movement of returning immigrants from northwestern to western states next fall are attracting the close attention of immigration and industrial authorities who are now expecting an early report from the commissioner at Montreal before discussing the influx.

Industrial experts say the movement to the southern states will begin next October. A record-breaking migration in this direction occurred last year, drawing upon the population of the central states, especially Iowa, Kansas and Nebraska. Many of these persons went to southern Georgia and Florida and southern Alabama.

Large tracts have been taken in southern Georgia and northern Florida since the first of the year, to be divided into farms for northern settlers. Another movement is that of a colony of Slovaks from western Pennsylvania to southern Alabama. In northeast Georgia there has been started the nucleus of a colony from northwest Canada. Individual farmers from Ohio, Indiana and Illinois are buying improved as well as wild lands in Virginia, the Carolinas, Tennessee and north Alabama. Germans and Menonite settlers are seeking homes in districts in the more northern portions of the southeast section of the country.

The initiation of a campaign of education as to the character and low prices of really good southern lands, as compared with the land in the newer portions of the country, and the big yields of wheat, corn and other crops and corresponding profits reported in many southern districts have led to the southward migration.

The associations of growers in the orchard and truck districts have called attention to the possibilities in fruit and general garden truck culture.

GRAY IS HOLDING TWO JOBS.

WHILE SERVING SAVANNAH WANTS PEOPLE OF GEORGIA TO ELECT HIM.

(Atlanta Journal.)
There appears elsewhere on this page a communication in which Mr. J. M. Scott, of Bainbridge, asks a courteous and pertinent question that is undoubtedly of interest to thousands of other Georgia citizens. He wants to know if Mr. Joseph F. Gray, a candidate for election to the office of railroad commissioner, to which he was appointed by Governor Brown, intends to continue holding, as he now does, a position with the Savannah chamber of commerce, in case he is elected.

As Mr. Scott points out, Commissioner Gray is now serving two distinct interests. Though he is paid by the people to look after their business on the railroad commission, he is at the same time in the employ of the chamber of commerce of Savannah. It is perhaps only natural that Mr. Gray did retain his position in Savannah, for in appointing him to the railroad commission, Governor Brown consented to this arrangement. With the governor's approval, Mr. Gray, of course, held on to both jobs.

But in the approaching primary it is the people and not the governor who are to declare the terms of this official contract. The people are therefore entitled to know, as Mr. Scott insists, precisely what Mr. Gray is going to do in this matter should he be elected.

A member of the railroad commission has unusually heavy and exacting, as well as important duties. He must represent the public of Georgia in the matter of fifty million dollars every year which the people pay out to public service corporations. Last year the commission received, examined and filed about seven thousand five hundred rates and tariffs. It has been called upon to hear and decide numerous cases in which the business of the people of Georgia and of the public service companies were vitally concerned. Indeed, there is no office in the state that requires more constant and arduous attention from the man who holds it than does the office of railroad commissioner.

The attorney general or the governor himself could just as properly hold another position and divide his time with other interests as could a railroad commissioner.

The Savannah chamber of commerce is one of the state's great progressive agencies and its work merits the commendation of all Georgia. But we are sure that no member of that body would attempt to argue that it, as a chamber of commerce, is entitled to representation on the state railroad com-

mission unless all the other boards of trade were given an equal prerogative. Yet, when Mr. Gray, one of the leading, if not the chief officer, of the Savannah chamber of commerce, holds his office with the state under present arrangements, this is precisely what happens. Suppose a matter of rates requiring adjustment between Savannah and Valdosta, or any other point, should come before the commission. Would Mr. Gray, the paid employee of the Savannah chamber of commerce, be qualified to pass upon the difference?

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